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Second Juvenile Arrested in Ongoing Arson Investigation

Kerrville, Texas (October 12, 2016) – A second arrest has been made in connection with a fire that occurred in the 300 Block of Blanks St. on Sunday, October 2, 2016.

On October 2nd at approximately 3:45 p.m., the Kerrville Fire Department (KFD) and the Kerrville Police Department (KPD) responded to a structure fire in the 300 block of Blanks St. On scene, first responders found a juvenile who was severely burned and was subsequently air lifted to University Medical Center located in San Antonio.

One juvenile has already been arrested and charged with First Degree Arson in connection with this incident.

As of 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 12th, a second juvenile has been taken into custody and charged with second degree arson for assisting in starting the fire. This juvenile has been processed and transferred to the juvenile detention center.

The identity of these juveniles is not being released as both individuals are under the age of 18.

The investigation into this incident is still open and ongoing. The Kerrville Fire Marshal's Office asks that anybody who may have information regarding this incident please call (830)-257-8449 and ask for the Fire Marshal's Office.

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